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Copies of the listed foreign and non-patent literature documents are attached.  
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Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

With respect to the non-English language documents, Applicants submit the following remarks:

1. **EP 0 549 494** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 5,756,635 and 6,258,916, listed on the enclosed form PTO/SB/08.
2. **EP 0 663 161** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 5,542,439, listed on the enclosed form PTO/SB/08.
3. **EP 0 667 146** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 6,120,781 and 6,132,742, listed on the enclosed form PTO/SB/08.
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6. **EP 1 201 221** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0098217 A1, listed on the enclosed form PTO/SB/08.
7. **FR 2 079 785** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 3,673,160, listed on the enclosed form PTO/SB/08.
8. **FR 2 232 303** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 3,937,811, listed on the enclosed form PTO/SB/08.
9. **FR 2 605 505** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 4,893,193, listed on the enclosed form PTO/SB/08.

10. **FR 2 701 198** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 6,099,183; 6,227,735; 6,296,411; 6,299,370; 6,299,371; 6,305,862; 6,309,123; 6,325,562; 6,331,086, and 6,345,923, listed in the enclosed form PTO/SB/08.

11. **FR 2 715 306** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 6,120,781 and 6,132,742, listed on the enclosed form PTO/SB/08.

12. **FR 2 726 467** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 5,800,816; 5,911,974; 5,965,112; 5,985,298; 6,274,152; and 6,464,964, and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2003/0007987, all listed on the enclosed form PTO/SB/08.

13. **FR 2 792 190** - An English language abstract of this document is submitted herewith.

14. **JP 10-139631** - An English language abstract of this document is submitted herewith.

15. **WO 91/12793** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 5,925,337, listed on the enclosed form PTO/SB/08.

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17. **WO 2004/022010** - This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. 2004/0137020 A1 and 2004/0137021 A1, listed on the enclosed form PTO/SB/08.

18. **Pigeon et al.** - An abstract of this document is enclosed.

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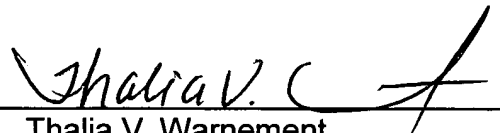
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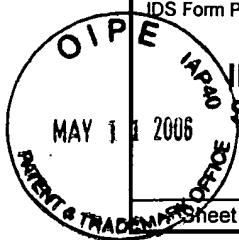
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